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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir or Madam:

Preliminary to the initiation of the prosecution of  
the above-identified pending U.S. patent application, the  
following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted.

IN THE TITLE:

Please amend the title of the application to:

~Stacked Chip Assembly~.

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please insert before the first line, after the  
title, the following:

CROSS-REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATIONS

This is a continuation of United States Patent Application  
No. 09/122,219, filed July 24, 1998, which is in turn a  
continuation of United States Patent Application No.  
08/861,280, filed on May 21, 1997, which is in turn a  
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08/319,966, filed on October 7, 1994, now United States  
Patent No. 5,685,885. United States Patent Application No.  
08/319,966 is a continuation of United States Patent  
Application No. 08/030,194, filed April 28, 1993 as the  
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